Western Memoirs

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Class Motto --
"CHRIST IN ALL"

School Colors --
Crimson Red - Royal Blue

STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

Western Bible Institute exists for a single purpose only, and that is to train yielded Christian young men and women most effectively to give God's Word to a lost and dying world. The School was founded in confidence that the Bible is God's Word and that it is all-sufficient to meet the spiritual needs of souls. Consequently all of the work is shaped in accordance with the conviction that the training which alone is essential for all forms of Christian work is a thorough working knowledge of God's Word. The Western Bible Institute seeks consistently to confine its work to giving this essential training. Every part of the course has been introduced either to impart a clear knowledge of the vital, fundamental teachings of the Bible, to induct the student into a thorough familiarity with the principles which govern all real Bible study, to facilitate his application of those principles in his own study or to assist him clearly and effectively to impart those truths to others. The Western Bible Institute does not seek primarily to give the student a mass of information about the contents of the Bible, but its first purpose is to train each student to be an independent Bible student, able to dig out the knotty problems of Bible study for himself and qualified to be of the greatest blessing and help to others in solving their spiritual problems and answering their soul-questions.

Only yielded Christians who are permitting their lives to be molded by the teachings of the Word are qualified to render the best service in any form of Christian work. So in the Western Bible Institute constant emphasis is laid on the training of the heart and life, as well as the mind. Each student is dealt with personally as problems and questions arise, and loving, prayerful efforts are made to mold and develop each life in accordance with the plain teachings of the Bible. No one is accepted as a student in the Western Bible Institute who does not express his willingness to cooperate in this effort to develop his life under the guidance and direction of the Holy Spirit.

Romans 10:15

And the things that thou hast heard of me among many witnesses, the same commit thou to faithful men, who shall be able to teach others also.

2 Timothy 2:2

WESTERN BIBLE INSTITUTE
DENVER, COLO.
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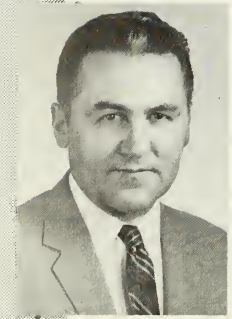
DEDICATION

TO

REV. EARL BETHURUM

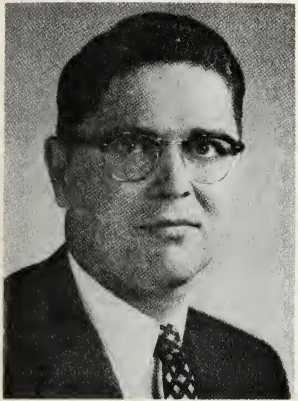
DEAN ... WESTERN BIBLE INSTITUTE



Earl Bethurum, Th.B.
Graduate -- Western Bible Institute
Conservative Baptist Theological Seminary
Dean -- Western Bible Institute
Pastoral Experience -- 5 years
Instructor -- Distinctions, Principles,
Personal Evangelism, Music, Missions,
Synoptic Gospels

The students of Western Bible Institute are happy to dedicate this first annual to the Dean, Rev. Earl Bethurum. He is the one person who knows the students intimately and personally. To him goes our hearts' gratitude for his ever ready willingness to discuss our joys and our woes. When we dedicate this to him, it is with the desire and the hopes that as its pages are turned, old memories will be relived, memories of what tribulations we have caused him, as Dean, and of what blessings he has been to us and the lessons which the Lord has taught us through them.

PRESIDENT



DR. CARL C. HARWOOD, JR.

Carl C. Harwood, Jr., Th.B., D.D.
Denver Bible College
Graduate -- Western Bible Institute
University of Denver
President -- Western Bible Institute
Pastor -- Moody Gospel Church
Instructor -- Dispensations, Distinctions

We praise God for our president. He is a man who has a zeal for God and love for us as students. Although, we do not see him often, because of his heavy duties, yet, we count it a real joy to pray for him and work with him. We wish to attribute our thanks to God for giving our president a real burden and a real heart for missions. We are confident that in the years to come, the school will continue to grow and certainly continue to honor the Lord. Because of him, the students have also caught the vision for missions.

FACULTY

Ray Ransom

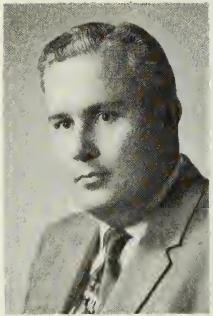
Instructor --
Bible Survey
Exposition
Doctrine
Modern Religions

Elsie Fick, Th.B., A.B.

Instructor --
English
Christian Education
Principles of
Teaching

Art Barr, D.D.

Instructor --
Dispensations
Chalk Drawing



Raymond W. McLaughlin
Th.B., B.D., Th.M., Th.D.

Instructor --
Public Speaking

WORKERS

Mrs. Clyde E. Hahs

Dormitory Parent
Assistant Cook

Helen A. Fick

Registrar

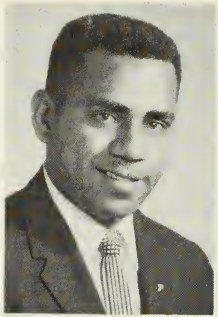
Mildred E. Harwood

Head Cook

SENIORS

Joseph Lulich
Italy

Former Catholic Priest
Missionary to Italy

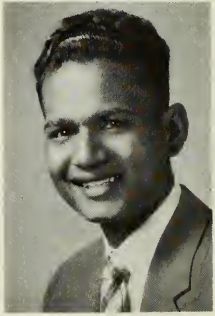


Alifereti C. Yaya (Freddy)
Fiji Islands

Pre-Medical Student
President, Student Council
Student Preaching
Gospel Team
Mission Guild

Robert H. Prasad
Fiji Islands

Senior Class Representative
Social Committee
Pianist, Gospel Team
Mission Guild



Clyde E. Hahs
Pinion, Colo.

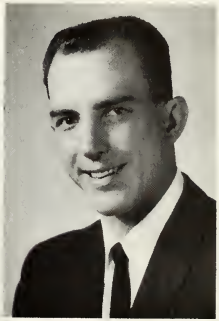
Denver Bible Institute
Maintenance man
Dormitory Parent
Mission Guild

Ruth Sanders
Denver, Colo.

Alameda High School, Colo.
Constitution Committee
Mission Guild
Gospel Team

Dale E. Hahs
Apple Valley, Calif.

Victor Valley High School,
California
Vice Pres., Student Council
Mission Guild
Student preaching
Children's work
Gospel Team



JUNIORS

Della Mae Keran
Denver, Colo.

Alameda High School,
Denver
Gospel Team
Navajo Missions, Inc.
Mission Guild

Helene Hebenstreit
Denver, Colo.

West High School
Denver

Mission Guild
Gospel Team
Junior Class
Representative

Marvin Cooper
Hutchinson, Kansas

Sylvia Rural High
School
Sylvia, Kansas

Mission Guild

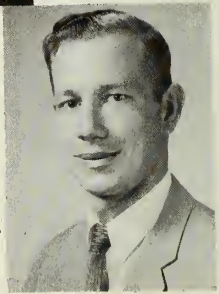
Ruth Hebenstreit
Denver, Colo.

West High School
Denver
Mission Guild
Representative
Student Council
Gospel Team

Keith Frazell
Denver, Colo.

Hillrose High
School
Hillrose, Colo.

Mission Guild



FRESHMEN

Nancy Cox
Denver, Colo.

South High School
Denver
Gospel Team
Student Council, Secretary
Mission Guild

Katy Mishler
Fowler, Colo.

Southwest Baptist College
Public School Teacher
Mission Guild, Secretary
Social Committee
Gospel Team

Patty Jo Yount
Denver, Colo.

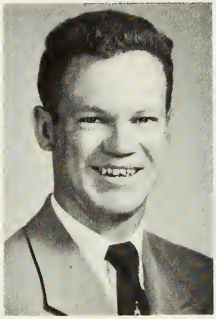
West High School
Denver
Student Council
Social Committee
Student Editor of Western Witness
Gospel Team
Mission Guild
Annual Staff

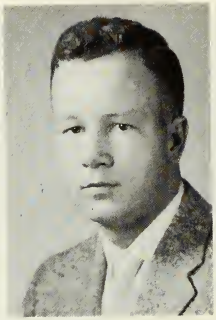
Mike Kido
Crowley, Colo.

Crowley High School
Mission Guild, President
Constitution Committee
Gospel Team

Larry Morehead
Derby, Colo.

Mission Guild, Treasurer
Gospel Team





Stanley Powell
Denver, Colo.

Sheridan Union High School
Military Service, Fitzsimmons
Mission Guild

Joseph Sanders
Denver, Colo.

Alameda High School
Annual Photographer

Student
Council

W. B. I. Student
Missionary Guild

FOREIGN STUDENTS

ROBERT PRASAD

Over half of the population of the Fiji Islands is Indian. The Indians in Fiji do not have peace. The answer to this is Christ! I have found Christ and am happy in Him. Please pray for me as I prepare to go back to my people, and pray also for my people who are dying without salvation.

JOSEPH LULICH

I left Italy in August, 1957 after accepting the Lord Jesus as my Saviour, to come to the Western Bible Institute in Denver, Colorado to prepare to return to the Italian people with the truth of redemption found in Christ Jesus alone. I want to return as soon as possible to tell my people of the peace which I have found in Christ.

ALIFERETI YAYA

Please pray for me as I prepare to return to my people, the Fijians, as a medical missionary. Only about 100 years ago they ate the first missionary who set foot on our soil. I received my Bible training at the Western Bible Institute and thank God for the way that He led me and brought me to this school where I received a good, clear foundation of God's Word.

ACTIVITIES

PRACTICAL WORK

HALLOWEEN
GUESS WHO?

PREPARING FLANNELGRAPH

NEVER A DULL
MOMENT AT
THE DORM

STUDY HALL

MEDITATION

"LET'S EAT!!"

FUTURE HOUSEWIVES
OF
W. B, I.

SPRING OUTING

IN CLASS

CHRISTMAS
BANQUET

CHRISTMAS PARTY

3188 So. GRANT

BOY'S TRIO

PING PONG